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1. The following Soviet military units are known to be in the vicinity of Zagan [redacted]:
 - a) A communications detachment, about 15 men strong, possibly stationed at ulica Widlera. A truck and several bicycles were observed at the spot.
 - b) Armored units were known to be at Swietoszow in 1949. It was learned [redacted] that female Soviet Army elements have been at the site since 1951. An exercise field, about 15 by 20 kilometers is attached to the installation.
 - c) A military hospital is at Zagan, ulica Czerwonej Armii.
 - d) Soviet military personnel are attached to various Polish units in the area.
2. A Polish armored division headquarters is located close to the Zagan town barracks. The commanding officer of the division is a Russian colonel who lives in Zagan at ulica Czerwonej Armii, in a house with a street number between three and seven. The divisional political officer is Major (fnu) Klingert. Major (fnu) Kacapa is the divisional quartermaster.
3. There is a gasoline storage depot on the Zagan-Ilowa road. The tanks are under the surface of the earth. Construction took two years and was completed in the summer of 1952. The depot is connected by a special rail siding with the Zagan railroad station.
4. The Szprotawa airfield is reported to be Soviet-controlled. It contains a pilot school and four or five training planes. Eight hundred workers were enlarging the runways at Kopernia airfield in 1951. At one time about 20 jet planes were observed in the air; at another time about 40 propeller-driven planes were seen.
5. Courses are given for officers, sometimes for generals, at the Zagan officers' club. The courses last from three days to several months.
6. The UB headquarters in Zagan is at ulica gen. Swierczewskiego. Some militia are also stationed in the building. The UB jail is at ulica Igo Maja. [redacted] many of the prisoners were transferred to a prison at Zielona Gora.

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1. Comment: [redacted] locates the 11th Mechanized Division headquarters in Zary (Soran) but does not indicate that a division headquarters is located in Zagan. [redacted] 25X1
[redacted] locates the 42nd Mechanized Infantry Regiment, which is subordinate to the 11th Mechanized Division, at Zagan. 25X1

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